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| <b>REQUEST<br/>FOR<br/>CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)<br/>TRANSMITTAL</b><br><br>Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,<br>provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application<br>filed on or after June 8, 1995.<br>See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA). | <table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;"><i>Application Number</i></td> <td style="padding: 2px;"><b>10/748,178</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;"><i>Filing Date</i></td> <td style="padding: 2px;"><b>Dec. 31, 2003</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;"><i>Examiner Name</i></td> <td style="padding: 2px;"><b>Thomas A. GYORFI</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;"><i>First Named Inventor</i></td> <td style="padding: 2px;"><b>Ariel PELED</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;"><i>Group Art Unit</i></td> <td style="padding: 2px;"><b>2435</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;"><i>Confirmation No.:</i></td> <td style="padding: 2px;"><b>5563</b></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;"><i>Attorney Docket Number</i></td> <td style="padding: 2px;"><b>27153</b></td> </tr> </table> | <i>Application Number</i> | <b>10/748,178</b> | <i>Filing Date</i> | <b>Dec. 31, 2003</b> | <i>Examiner Name</i> | <b>Thomas A. GYORFI</b> | <i>First Named Inventor</i> | <b>Ariel PELED</b> | <i>Group Art Unit</i> | <b>2435</b> | <i>Confirmation No.:</i> | <b>5563</b> | <i>Attorney Docket Number</i> | <b>27153</b> |
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| <i>Examiner Name</i>   | <b>Thomas A. GYORFI</b>  |                           |                   |                    |                      |                      |                         |                             |                    |                       |             |                          |             |                               |              |
| <i>First Named Inventor</i>  | <b>Ariel PELED</b>   |                           |                   |                    |                      |                      |                         |                             |                    |                       |             |                          |             |                               |              |
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

**NOTE:** 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See *Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice*, Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (Aug. 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**
  - a. ☐ Previously submitted
    - i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
    - ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
  - b. ☒ **Enclosed**
    - i. ☒ **Amendment/Reply**
    - ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
    - iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
    - iv. ☒ **Other One (1) Month Extension fee**
    - v. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
2. **Miscellaneous**
  - a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
  - b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
3. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

☐ **Applicant is entitled to Small Entity Status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27**

| <i>For:</i>   | <i>Claims after<br/>Amendment</i> | <i>Highest<br/>Claims<br/>Previously<br/>Paid</i> | <i>SMALL ENTITY<br/>RATE</i> | <i>FEE</i> | <i>OTHER THAN<br/>A SMALL ENTITY<br/>RATE</i> | <i>FEE</i>             |
|---|-----------------------------------|---|------------------------------|------------|---|------------------------|
| Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                   |                                   |   |                              | \$         |   | \$810.00               |
| Multiple Dependent Claims   |                                   |   |                              | \$         | 0 x \$390.00                                  | \$ 0.00                |
| Total Claims*   | 106                               | 146   |                              | \$         | 0 x \$ 52.00                                  | \$ 0.00                |
| Independent Claims*   | 5                                 | 7   |                              | \$         | 0 x \$220.00                                  | \$ 0.00                |
| * (If the difference in Column 1 is less than "0", enter "0" in Column 2) |                                   |   | <b>TOTAL</b>                 | <b>\$</b>  | <b>TOTAL</b>                                  | <b><u>\$810.00</u></b> |

☒ **The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$810.00 filing fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1407. In the event additional fees are required, please charge these additional fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1407. In the event of overpayment, please credit Deposit Account No. 50-1407.**

| <i>SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED</i> |                      |  |                          |
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| <i>Signature</i>   | /Jason H. Rosenblum/ | <i>Date</i>                                  | <b>February 25, 2010</b> |